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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
VINCENT TURTURRO et al.)	Group Art Unit: 3736
Serial No.: 09/977,289)	Examiner: D. MCCROSKY
Filed: October 16, 2001)	Confirmation No. 3612
For: BIOPSY INSTRUMENT HAVING IRRIGATION AND ASPIRATION CAPABILITIES)	

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AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action dated June 4, 2004, the period for response having been extended to October 4, 2004 by a Petition for Extension of Time - One Month and fee payment filed herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.